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## IT IS YELLOW FEVER.

The Doctors Now Know What They Have to Battle.

Report to Surgeon-General Wyman From Physicians of the Marine Hospital Service—Stringent Measures Will be Adopted.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Dr. John Gulliver, the yellow fever expert, telegraphed to Surgeon-General Wyman yesterday as follows, from Ocean Springs, Miss.:

"Of three suspicious cases reported by me yesterday, one confirms yellow fever by autopsy; another by subsequent course; the third case is not yellow fever. To-day I have diagnosed another case of yellow fever. We have two more cases in the last 24 hours. There have been here a few cases of yellow fever in the midst of a wide spread epidemic of dengue."

Assistant Surgeon Norman, at New Orleans, telegraphed as follows:

"By courtesy of President Oliphant, I send the following memorandum to be published to-morrow morning:

"To the Honorable Members of the House of Representatives:

GENTLEMEN: We, the physicians who have been requested to examine into the nature of cases of fever on St. Louis, are of the opinion that just in the collective aspects they should be regarded as suspicious and should be taken charge of by the board of health.

DR. LEONARD,  
DR. COOMBE,  
DR. PUCKHAM,  
DR. PERETT,  
DR. PARSONS.

Gulliver has been invited to visit New Orleans.

The detention camp equipment, shipped from Waycross, Ga., has arrived in the vicinity of Ocean Springs, and Surgeon Murray has been instructed by Dr. Wyman to select a site. Its location has not yet been definitely determined, the surgeon-general having under consideration a plan recommended by Dr. Murray. Passed Assistant Surgeon White left here last night to take charge of the camp.

Dr. Wyman has taken measures to strengthen the border line inspection service already inaugurated by the states of Alabama and Louisiana, to prevent the spread of the disease.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Gleason has been ordered to Grand Bay, where the Louisville & Nashville crosses into Alabama, to assist the officers already designated by that state. An official probably will soon be sent to the point where the same railroad crosses the Mississippi-Louisiana state line.

Measures have also been taken by the surgeon general to ascertain the correctness of the reports that yellow fever had developed at other points in Mississippi, notably at Vicksburg and at Natchez, while Dr. Gulliver is known to have reported two suspicious cases to the president of the Louisiana state board of health. Surgeon Carter will go to the latter place, and Surgeon Murray is expected to follow him, leaving Dr. Wadlin temporarily in charge of Ocean Springs. If the reports of the existence of fever at those places are found correct, stringent measures will promptly be adopted to prevent its spread.

## SEVEN MORE CASES.

Further Development of Yellow Fever Cases in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 12.—Shortly before noon to-day the board of health officially declared six of the suspicious cases of fever on St. Claude street to be yellow fever, a couple of which were subsequently found to be dengue. Another pronounced case of yellow fever at 11th and Esplanade streets, in the lower part of the city, but a mile or more from the infected square. The announcement of the first six cases of yellow fever was not unexpected, although it was hoped from the delay on the part of the experts, that these cases were simply of bilious malaria. No general alarm has resulted here, although the news rapidly spread through the city. The authorities do not believe that the situation is materially worse than it was four or five days ago, and they are still confident of their ability, with modern sanitary appliances, to successfully quarantine the infected district.

The official bulletin of the board of experts, which yellow fever was declared to be, was issued after 11 o'clock. The Oliphant immediately sent for members of the press and gave out the report, which was signed by Dr. Leonhard, Trotter, Hilditch, Polk and Parham of the board of experts and Dr. Davison, the attending physician. The report was as follows:

"We, the undersigned physicians, etc., from time to time, have examined the 12 cases of fever on St. Claude street, between Clignet and Louisa, and find six to be yellow fever, four, and immediately after the body visited the jail preparatory to the investigation.

Tug Burned.

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Exemption in Madrid Over a Cuban Vic-

MADRID, Sept. 14.—The news received here of the capture by the Cubans of the town of Victoria de las Tunas, provinces of Santiago de Cuba, has created great excitement. The cabinet minister has been summoned to meet to consider the situation.

Cabinet Resigned.

OAKLAND, Calif., Sept. 13.—Chief of Police Lloyd has received a telegram announcing the death at Juneau of J. C. Bostman, formerly private secretary to Congressman Hilborn and recently appointed fish commissioner of Alaska. He was a native of Ohio and 46 years of age.

Tea at Joliet, Ill.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Sept. 11.—United States Senator Stephen M. White is confined at his home with a sudden attack of pleurisy.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.  
C. C. GRASSHAM—We are authorized to announce  
that he has been appointed for the Commonwealth's Attorney, of the Fourth Judicial  
District, subject to the action of the voters at the  
coming November election.

## Our Prohibition Law.

We have interviewed eminent legal authority upon the question of the prohibition law now in force in Lexington and other portions of Hopkins county, and the probable effect, if any, upon this law and its provisions, of the decision of Judge Hazelrigg, about which decision there has been so much said in newspapers within the past week.

It is the opinion of these able lawyers that our law is not affected but remains in force and that the only provision of said law that may be affected by the decision of Judge Hazelrigg is that which gives jurisdiction in the case to justices of the peace. In fact the case that was tried in the Court of Appeals was not the validity of the local option law, but the jurisdiction of magistrates over violations of that law. Under the new constitution the jurisdiction of magistrates is made uniform throughout the State and may not extend to cases where the fine exceeds one hundred dollars. The penalty under the law exceeded this amount in the case that was carried to the Court of Appeals, and the Court held that the magistrates did not have jurisdiction. Even upon this point there is a difference of opinion.

It seems an assured fact that the prohibition law in Hopkins county is valid and in force, and the citizens and officials of the district which this law covers declare that it shall continue to be enforced with the same vigor which has characterized its history thus far.

## The Strike Situation.

In the Hazelton, Pa., region where the fatal clash occurred between miners and sheriff's deputies, most of the miners are idle. Three thousand Pennsylvania National Guardsmen are there under command of Brigadier General Snowden to preserve order. In the Pittsburgh district many mines have resumed and others are starting up daily. The miners are rapidly returning to work at the sixty-five cent rate. In the Jellie region some evasions have been made and the miners realize that they will either have to go to work or leave the district.

Ohio and Indiana miners are returning to work. A state convention of miners of Illinois has been called to meet at Springfield, Sept. 20th, and nothing will be done in that state until after the convention.

The strike may be considered practically ended and all idle miners will gradually resume work throughout the country or seek other occupations.

## An Honest Confession.

The Bourbon "News," a stalwart Democratic newspaper, advises its free silver brethren to make a free confession and ease their consciences. It says:

"Our silver friends insist that the increase in price of wheat due to short crops is foreign countries. Are the foreigners also short on cattle, sheep, mules, cotton, corn, oats, tobacco, etc., which are all bringing better prices than they did last year. Better admit that times are improving, boys, and let your consciences feel better."

GREENVILLE will have a graded school. On Saturday, September 4th, the citizens of that town voted a school tax by a majority of sixty-one.

## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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VOTED.

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For Clerk of the Court of Appeals,  
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CLIFTON J. PRATT.For Commonwealth's Attorney, Fourth Judicial District,  
CHAS. C. GRASSHAM.For State Senator, Sixth Senatorial District,  
J. H. LUNSFORD.For County Clerk,  
R. R. GRAHAM.For County Attorney,  
WILLIAM BEARD.For Sheriff,  
GEO. R. LYNN.For Surveyor,  
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First District—For Magistrate, James H. Fox; for Constable, W. W. Littlefield. Second District—For Magistrate, O. J. Farnsworth; for Constable, James Watts. Fifth District—For Magistrate, H. F. Porter; for Constable, ..... Sixth District—For Magistrate, Wm. M. Rice; for Constable, Johnson Williams. Seventh District—For Magistrate, H. F. Flonand; for Constable, William Harris.

PRICES of mules have advanced sharply in the blue grass region and stock raisers are realizing good profits on their sales. The market is unusually active.

THE Kentucky State Board of Health has taken precautions against the introduction of yellow fever into Louisville. The railroads are watched for a hundred miles south of Louisville.

FARMERS are getting good prices for everything they produce. A Webster county farmer even said the other day that they were getting too much for some things.

If there is as much difference in the ability of Pratt and Nunn as lawyers and judges, as there is as dignified, forcible speakers, the people would do themselves a very great injury by changing.—Smithland Gold Standard.

SOME Georgia lawyers are discussing the question as to whether Chattanooga is really in Tennessee. They will investigate and see if a correct survey of boundaries will not bring that important city within the confines of Georgia.

The spectacle of a sheriff and special guard, detailed to preserve a toll-gate in Kentucky, being captured by a band of raiders and marched off a safe distance while the gate is demolished, is interesting—for Kentucky. Time for a new election in that county.

"BECAUSE it is my deliberate judgment that the prosperity of America is due mainly to its system of protective laws, I urge that Germany has now reached the point where it is now necessary to imitate the tariff system of the United States."—Bismarck.

HAWAII, if annexed, will not be the first island owned by the United States. There are numerous others, some quite important, now owned by this country. We reproduce to-day an interesting article on this subject, taken from the Washington Post. Read it.

EDITOR GAINES, of the Elton Progress publishes a suggestion that might fit elsewhere. He says:

There are several hundred of our subscribers who have been so busy lately selling their dollar wheat that they haven't had time to call in and see us. Editors don't need any money, of course, but they like to post up their books occasionally, to show how they look. See?

The new American tariff law has thrown thousands of workers in Germany into idleness.—Courier-Journal.

This isn't bad, coming as it does from that staunch free-trade journal. The Dingley tariff was intended to benefit the American workers and not those of Germany or any other foreign country.

FARMERS in Hopkins and Webster counties are beginning to cut their tobacco on account of the drought, notwithstanding which, the yield of the weed, both in quantity and quality seems very fair. With the prospect of continued high prices for the crop, the farmer feels pretty comfortable.

"THE benefit of protection goes first and last to the men who earn their bread in the sweat of their faces. The auspicious and momentous result is that never before in the history of the world has comfort been enjoyed, education acquired, and independence secured by so large a majority of the total population as in the United States of America."—James G. Blaine.

THERE is a brave lot of soldier boys in Illinois, who, though never in an active engagement, seem to be candidates, all, for an engagement. These chivalrous young soldiers have just shed their blood, and a portion of their cuticle, coolly, one after another, to save the life

## Help

is needed by poor, tired mothers, over-worked and burdened with care, debilitated and run down because of poor, thin and impoverished blood. Help is needed by the nervous sufferer, the men and women tortured with rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, scrofula, catarrh, Help

## Comes Quickly

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LOCAL NEWS.

Frank D. Rash will leave in a short while for Boston, where he goes to enter for a three years' course at college.

Mr. L. H. O'Brien took his son Douglas, to Mobile, Ala., last week, where he entered him at school for the winter.

Miss Susan Atkinson leaves this week for Swarthmore, Penn., where she will attend Swarthmore College, an institution of the Society of Friends.

J. T. Alexander and Mrs. Ella O'Connor have just returned from Cincinnati where they have been buying a supply of dry goods, etc., for fall and winter trade. Alexander's stock will be more complete than ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed F. Robinson, of Sullivan, Ind., visited Mr. Robinson's mother and other relatives here last week and this. Ed was half sick, but could not be kept from his work and hurried back home Tuesday.

A fine well of sulphur water is reported to have been discovered at Barnsley. It is situated where it will do the most good—at the school house and church. It is said to be a good vein and strong with the mineral. Just now it is kept locked except while school is in session and on Sundays at church times. The Barnsley people expect to put in a pump so that the well may be accessible at any time.

Gone to Market.

Mr. Woodson Browning and Miss Sally Browning are in St. Louis buying a complete line of fall and winter goods for Bishop & Co., which will be up to the old time, excellent standard of that leading Madisonville dry goods house. Wait and see their purchases.

A Small Burglary.

Monday night another small seized burglary occurred at the store of Jno. M. Victory & Co. A broken glass in the front window of the grocery was taken out and the burglar entered there. Nothing was taken except a small amount of change, perhaps 75 cents, which had been left in the cash drawer. The thief seemed only to want a little cash, and he got a little. There is no clue to the identity of the burglar.

Died From Burns.

The horrible fate of the young child of Mrs. McCormick of this place, has excited the deepest sympathy of all who know the story. The little one, about three years old, one day last week was severely burned about the body while in the kitchen where his mother had been kindling a fire. Death ended the child's sufferings Sunday afternoon. It was the youngest of three children.

A Correction.

In reporting the Republican county nominating convention, The Bee said that Mr. M. McCord, among others, seconded the nomination of Mr. Jas. B. Ross for county clerk. Mr. McCord says this is a mistake and we take pleasure in correcting the error. There were several on their feet at the time Mr. Ross' nomination was seconded and The Bee thought Mr. McCord was among them.

Burned With Acid.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vanasen, Jr., met with an accident the other day that might have proved fatal. The little one was playing with a bottle which Mrs. Vanasen thought had been washed and was empty. There was, however, carbolic acid in the bottle. Fortunately, the baby did not get the acid in its mouth, but it was spilled on the child's dress and burned its way through to the skin.

The little one is doing very well.

Courtesy.

President McKinley and his Secretary Mr. John Addison Porter are notoriously courteous. The private secretary finds time even to answer, most courteously, communications about names for new babies.

Here is a sample:

Executive Mansion,  
Washington, Sept. 11, 1897.

DEAR SIR:—Writing in behalf of the President I beg to thank you for the compliment you have paid him in the choice of a name for your little boy. Very truly yours,

JOHN ADDISON PORTER,  
Secretary to the President.

MR. WALTER H. FAVER,  
Erlington, Ky.

Dr. Bell's Peppermint Chill Tonic is a perfect liver laxative—anti-malaria and blood purifier. Removes biliousness without purging. Cures chills and makes the complexion good. Guaranteed by all dealers.

RELIGIOUS NOTES.

Rev. James Vernon, who has been pastor of the Christian church at Henderson, for some years, has accepted a call to the church at Independence, Mo., and will preach his first sermon at Independence on Sunday, Oct. 3.

At a recent meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of this place, a collection was taken to assist the Barnsley Union Sunday School in the way of literature. The collection amounted to \$4.21, and was turned over to Mr. Chas. McFadden who was present and represented the Barnsley school. On Sunday morning the Barnsley Sunday School, by a rising vote of thanks, expressed their appreciation of the assistance given them, and a record of the vote was ordered spread upon the minutes. They are now well equipped for their work with proper literature.

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Lunsford Formally Nominated.

The Republican Senatorial district convention met at Madisonville, Monday, as announced last week in THE BEE, and formally nominated the Hon. J. H. Lunsford for State Senator from the Sixth Senatorial district, composed of the counties of Hopkins and Christian.

Mr. W. F. Burr was chairman of the convention. There was another nomination than that of Mr. Lunsford, and the total vote of the district was cast for the Hopkins county man, making his nomination unanimous.

Blanks at the Head.

Aug. 1, Hogan, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller we have." J. F. Campbell, merchant of Safford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits." Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a quarter of a century, and today stands at the head. It never disappoints. Freed bottles at St. Bernard Drug Store.

Our city assessor began work yesterday. Miss Nannie Stokes, as announced last week, is assessor this year. The appointment of a young lady as assessor was an innovation, and her beginning the station on the first day of the term fixed by law in which to make the assessments is said to be another innovation.

Electric Biters.

Electric Biters is a medicine suited for any season, but perhaps more generally needed when the languid, exhausted feeling prevails, when the liver is torpid and sluggish and the need of a tonic and alterative is felt. A prompt use of this medicine often averted long and perhaps fatal bilious fevers. No medicine will act more surely in countering and freeing the system from the mortal poison. Headache, Indigestion, Congestion, Dizziness yield to Electric Biters, soc. and \$1.00 per bottle at St. Bernard Drug Store.

The fatigue felt after exertion is now usually attributed to the presence in the muscles and blood of the chemical products that result from action.

Everyone Feels So.

German's Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleases and refreshes to the taste, acts gently and quickly on kidneys, liver, lungs, stomach, intestines, spleen, delapidated eyes, headache, fever, bilious constipation and bilious fevers. Please buy and take a box of C. C. C. to-day, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

One hundred pounds of flour will yield over 130 pounds of bread.

Improve your eyes—get rid of that rough grinding feeling of the lids and clear your sight by applying Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. Thousands of people who never had sore eyes use it to clear the sight and strengthen the eyes.

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The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Scars, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eructions, and positively cures Piles or no paid required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. For Sale by St. Bernard Drug Store.

Coal mines in the Pittsburgh district are opening up rapidly.

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L. & N. DAY.

Arrangement for the Pleasure of L. & N. Employees at the Tennessee Centennial.

NEXT SATURDAY THE DAY.

Three Sections of the Excursion Train—Twelve or Fourteen Hundred Mea in Line.

Next Saturday, September 18th, is the day for the big excursion of employees of the Henderson and St. Louis divisions of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad.

The special train will be run in three sections. The first section will leave Howell at 3:45 Saturday morning, the second section at 3:55 and the third section at 4:05. The running time between Howell and Earlinton will be something like one hour and thirty minutes, so that the last section will arrive at Earlinton about 5:40. It is understood that the Earlinton contingent will go on the last section, which gives them still the time possible to get their breakfast and make the train.

The trains will arrive at Link's Hotel about ten minutes apart. Here the ladies will remain in the train and the men will form in line on College Street between the L. & N. crossing and Deaderick Street, march out College and Deaderick down Deaderick to Sumner, Summer to Church, Church to Union Depot.

The procession will be headed by a battalion of mounted police. The Howell Shop Band, with its beautiful banner, then the first division consisting of machinists, blacksmiths, boiler makers, etc. Then comes another silk banner, dividing the first and second divisions, followed by the second division of employees of the car department. Then another banner and the third division of painters and plating mill workers. The colored men will fall in behind this section.

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Cautious and deliberate in business matters generally, when it came to wooing he allowed family pride and sensitiveness to govern his actions to such an extent that the one young lady on whom he had set his heart, and who would doubt have accepted him had spoken out, after years of polite dallying, finally married one of his neighbors. From this time Todd seldom mingled in society, evinced a strong antipathy to his successful rival, and at the age of thirty became a confirmed old bachelor, careless in dress, shabby in equipage and indiscriminate in his selection of friends.

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The ladies will remain in the coaches and be conveyed to the Union Depot and thence to the Exposition grounds on trains supplied by the N. C. & St. L. Road, where they will wait at the station for the arrival of the men.

Arrangements have been made at the Military Cafe to get an excellent dinner served for 25 cents, and this will be L. & N. headquarters.

Everybody will be supplied with a badge, and men, women and children will wear them. These badges will distinguish the L. & N. people, and will be worn while to wear for the special privileges and attentions they will secure that day.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

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Our Sick.

W. C. Brooks is still unable to sit up, but is somewhat improved.

Jesse Jones is improving slowly.

Oscar Tinder will soon be out again.

Mrs. Toombs is up and going around but is not strong.

Mrs. Stuman is very sick but is not thought to be in a dangerous condition.

The Woman's Friend.

"I know from my own experience that ladies of a constituted habit there is nothing to supply the place of German Liver Powder." Mrs. J. P. Meneness, Springfield, Ohio.

German Liver Powder for dyspepsia, and other liver troubles, and constipation. Please buy and take a box of C. C. C. to-day, 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

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The first successful flour mill was erected in London in 1764.

After an autopsy, the death at Boston, of Capt. B. J. Tracy, of Lexington, was pronounced accidental.

He died Saturday morning in Mercer county took place Tuesday. The verdict was "not guilty."

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Story of an Abandoned Farm.

A MARYLAND EPISODE.

An Original Story written for THE BEE.

**N**ON the old white homestead mansion of Colonial type Todd Noble's ancestors had dwelt since the settlement of the country by the whites. Standing at the foot of the slope of the wood-clad hills it commanded a view of the surrounding farms of upland and meadow for miles around, and was a landmark in the vicinity. Several generations of Noble's had maintained the family reputation for fine cattle and large crops, and when Todd assumed the management of the paternal acres after his school days were over, his one ambition was to raise more corn and pork and fatter cattle than Todd, Sr., had done. The latter with his wife and daughter had retired to the neighboring village, leaving Todd a well-stocked farm to start business with, and plenty of good advice as to advertising to the good old ways of his forefathers.

Tall and straight, blue eyed and ruddy cheeked, Todd Noble was a handsome specimen of the rustic gentry as could be produced and was a welcome guest at the fireside of festive gatherings throughout the surrounding district.

But at twenty-five he seemed in no hurry to take to himself a wife, and the old housekeeper continued to reign supreme at Meadowcroft for many a year.

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## SILVER ACROBATS.

WONDERFUL FEATS OF W. J. BRYAN AND F. E. WHITE AS FREE TRADE AND FREE SILVER DEMOCRATS.

**They Both Laud and Curse Cheapness.**  
First Credit It to Inventive Genius and Then Blame It on the "Crime of '73." What F. E. White Said in 1892—"This Universal Blessing of Lower Prices." Things Sell Lower Because They Are Made Cheaper!—"They Are Made Cheaper because of Better Methods and Processes"—He Should Explain His Present Inconsistent Position and Statements.

There are no greater economic acrobats than the silver Democrats now giving exhibitions in this country. They turn somersaults and flipflops backward and forward so fast that it makes us dizzy to watch them. In one or two campaigns they are landing cheapness and the inventive genius which caused it, and in the next they are cursing cheapness and the cause of lower prices. All of the free trade silver Democrats have an act up their sleeves that had to do it and still have to do it whenever they let loose on these two subjects, as most of them are wont to do. It is impossible to be a free trader and not believe in low prices. It is impossible to believe in the "crime of '73" as the cause of the great and "ruinous" fall of prices which has since occurred and not believe that low prices are a curse.

Because he saw the inconsistency of it, or for political reasons, W. J. Bryan, in his campaign last year, practically refused to talk tariff and spent his time discussing the lack of money and the evils of low prices. If he had talked tariff, he would have been in danger of repeating his speech of March 16, 1892, in which he said, "You must attribute it to the inventive genius . . . That is what has brought down prices in this country and everywhere."

But Bryan is not a candidate for office this year. We will devote our attention to one who has been conspicuous since 1892 as a free trade Democrat, and who is now, because of his nomination for governor of Iowa, conspicuous as a silver democrat. Of course the Hon. Frederick E. White is now saying that "the people need more money" and that "an abundance of money will stimulate all kinds of industries" and "that will increase the price of everything and benefit everybody." He also says "the dollar of today buys altogether too much," and the rest of the whole rigmarole of free silver and cheap money wisdom. What, now, did this same Mr. White say in his great speech of June 15, 1892?

Under the subheads "Cheapness" and "The Real Cause of Cheapness" he made some statements so wholly inconsistent with his present position and statements that he will have great difficulty in explaining away this inconsistency. His remarks at that time being a fair sample of those of scores of other silver Democrats made then and since, we quote them below at some length:

"The stubborn fact, the historic truth, stands every intelligent man in the face, that everything made in human hands or that is in any way the result of human skill has been getting continually cheaper not only since the Republican party has been in power, but for the last thousand years and more, and has been getting cheaper not only in this country, but in every other—in countries where high tariffs are maintained, and in others where free trade prevails, and notably so in England, where the protective principle is entirely repudiated. . . .

"What is then the true, active cause of this constantly lowering price list of manufacturers? Why, sir, it is a constantly improving industrial condition caused primarily by mechanical inventions, scientific discoveries and the promotion of general knowledge. It is a higher order of human ingenuity and industry, a more practical industrial education, all resulting in superior methods of manufacture. The slow, clumsy ways of our forefathers have given way to the improved methods of a more mechanical age.

"We are constantly discovering and harnessing to our use new forces of nature, are continually utilizing new ideas and better methods, and the inevitable result is the simplified world over, cheaper food, cheaper goods, cheaper comforts. Let me tell you who it is that is responsible for this universal blessing of lower prices, who are entitled to our everlasting gratitude. . . . It is the mechanician who has the mental capacity to evolve an idea—an idea which materializes in the shape of a new machine, or in an improvement upon an old one; it is the mechanician standing ready with his skill to utilize the mechanical force of the idea thus evolved; it is the chemist who sits in his laboratory working with the zeal of an enthusiast both night and day in order that he may discover some hidden force of nature, some new combination of materials or substances, some new process that will be a more powerful factor in the industrial world; it is the scientist and the philosopher, who, taking for their text the gospel of eternal truth as it stands revealed in the geological strata and physical constitution of the universe, are constantly dragging to the light of day better light and more knowledge. [Applause.]

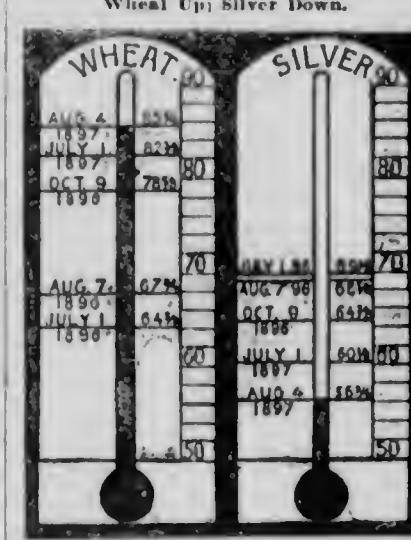
"When, then, this new light and knowledge have been brought to the point of availability, when these new machines have been invented, and the old ones improved, when all these new forces, combinations and processes have been brought to the point of practical utility, they are given to the world, they become the world's property. That is what has enabled us to make such wonderful progress. That is the secret of our marvelous success. That is what has enabled us to multiply a hundred and in some instances a thousand fold our mechanical power, and hence our productive capacity. [Applause.] The reason things sell lower than formerly is because they are made cheaper, and they are made cheaper because of better, superior methods and processes employed in their manufacture.

"Why, sir, Mr. McKinley might die tomorrow and by the day after be forgotten. • • • Mechanical invention and scientific discovery would not be retarded. The sun would still continue to impart warmth and the rain moisture to the earth. The seed sown by the husbandman would germinate,

grow and develop into the annual harvest. None of the essential conditions upon which our prosperity depends would be destroyed. But, sir, you annihilate the inventive genius of your people, destroy the skill of your mechanics and mechanists, and the inventors for their labor, and further progress would be simply impossible. A standstill would be the result; may, not in standstill, but a stagnation, which in itself would be utterly intolerable.

"It is not to Mr. McKinley or my other politician, but to the memory of the men who invented and have perfected you that I refer. It is to the memory of the men who discovered the power of steam and who built your steam engines, who invented and built your power looms and cotton gins; to the memory of the men who constructed your telegraph and laid your ocean cables, who discovered and have perfected the bessemer steel process; to the memory of the men who have the mental capacity to put together your soft binders, which have revolutionized the bread problem—it is to the memory of these intellectual giants that we ought to erect monuments that would pierce the very skies! [Applause], while we may with perfect safety allow the name of McKinley and every other politician to go uniuscued, unhonored and unnoticed. [Applause.]

Wheat Up! Silver Down.



Silver and wheat have parted company lately in a way which will spoil many of the arguments in the tons of pamphlets and books now being circulated by the silverites. Instead of tagging around after each other and always keeping near together they have broken apart and are so widely separated that they have lost sight of each other. While silver has gone down 18 cents per ounce since July 1, 1890, wheat has gone up over 20 cents per bushel. The silverites will have to do-

Silver and Wheat.

Professor Francis E. Nipher has just discovered another one of the many evil effects due to that awful "crime of '73." He finds that the rainfall at Montevideo, June, comes in 10 days instead of 58 inches in 1875 to 18 inches in 1892. It is remarkable that the heavy drop from 37 inches in 1892 to 18 inches in 1893 corresponds to the heavy fall in the price of silver. Do not these facts demonstrate the intimate connection between silver and wheat?

Wheat is the product of intelligent labor. The better the tools used and the more brains mixed with the labor the greater the result, but first of all assure us needed that half the tools will not be stolen. The good money of the gold standard is the best tool of commerce and used by the leading nations. The best is now too good for the American people, and the financial tools of Mexico and China are out of place here.

"Silver has its proper use in the minor transactions of commerce, and when maintained at a parity with gold, through imitation of coins and other safeguards, serves as a useful tool, which no one would discard. The use of silver is not needed that half the tools will not be stolen. The good money of the gold standard is the best tool of commerce and used by the leading nations. The best is now too good for the American people, and the financial tools of Mexico and China are out of place here.

Bryan's Diminishing Dollar.

It is now a 40 cent silver dollar instead of a 50 cent dollar. Of course if Mr. Bryan could get a 60 cent dollar he would be in a 40 cent dollar. And if he could do it with a 40 cent dollar why not with a 20 cent dollar? And why not with a 10 cent dollar and a 1 cent dollar? Then why have any value at all in a dollar? Why not make a dollar out of nothing?

And the dence of it is for Mr. William J. Bryan that wheat keeps on going up while silver goes down. Tough on him, but the country can stand it.—New York Press.

Silver Not In It.

The fall of silver to the very bottom will not stop the flat money movement, but it will bring back many an honest believer in sound money who was led by specious tales to believe that it was possible for the United States not only to arrest the fall of silver, but to double its value by coining the white metal free and in unlimited quantities.

The real fight is between sound money and flat money. Silver will be in it but a little while longer.—Musco Telegraph.

## JUDGE FRENCH ON SILVER.

He Represents Republicans and Talks Plainly About Money.

Judge Nathaniel French, temporary chairman of the Democratic state convention which met at Des Moines on Aug. 7 and which declared for "the honest payment of our debts" and for "a sound and stable currency," spoke in part as follows:

"Since Jackson's administration and through its act we have had the gold standard, excepting only the period of suspension of specie payments. Our debts, both public and private, have been contracted on that basis, and common honesty requires that they shall be repaid accordingly. The cry of the Chicago convention for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the false ratio of 16 to 1 attacks our existing standards, threatens us with wholesale repudiation, panic and ruin. This cry is supported by the claim that the government is all powerful and by the mere fact that the value of silver dollars has fallen 40 per cent since 1873. The decline in the value of silver dollars is due to the fact that the gold dollar has appreciated. One great factor, labor, is nearly always omitted in these discussions, and yet it is perhaps as important as all other factors combined. If the purchasing power of both labor and commodities is considered, it is absolutely impossible to show that gold has appreciated. Properly considered, it is doubtful if it can be shown that gold is increasing in value even when measured by farm products. One of the best pamphlets ever published on this subject is that of Professor Francis E. Nipher of St. Louis. It is entitled 'The Appreciation of Gold' and is volume 4, No. 14, of 'Sound Currency.' Here is what Professor Nipher says on the subject:

"The above is from a redrawing of one of Nast's cartoons used in 'Robinson Crusoe's Money.' The Crusoe laborers pass through an evolutionary period of flat legislation. They got the idea somewhere that if there was a scarcity of money, and so little, they could, by solemn legislative enactment, increase the supply of these articles. The voters were not as quick to discover the difference between real and sham money as were the babies to discover the difference between real and sham milk, but both reached a point where they had no doubt about the difference. The cartoon fits the silverites of today almost as well as it did the greenbackers of 1873.

A Universal Gold Standard.

Director of the Mint R. E. Preston is said to have predicted that within 15 years every nation in the world will be using the gold standard for its financial system. He thinks Mexico will be the next important nation to fall into line for gold. Fifteen years is a short period of time with oriental nations, but it may be sufficient time even for China to accept the inevitable. As the dangers of a silver standard become more and more apparent nations are almost full-fledged to restore confidence. Capital will seek employment freely only when sure that it will not be confiscated, when sure that the returns of the venture will be in the same good money invested."

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Islands Owned by the United  
States.

(Washington Post)

Distributed over the mid-Pacific, in the neighborhood of the equator, are quite a lot of small islands that belong to the United States. Most of them are from 1,000 to 2,000 miles to the south and southwest of Hawaii. Some of them are near the Gilbert archipelago, and there is a considerable cluster just about the lesser distance mentioned and directly south of the Hawaiian group, including America, Christians, Palmyros and other islands of larger size.

Christians island is about thirty-five miles long. It got its name originally from the fact that the famous Captain Cook stopped there on Christmas day for the purpose of observing an eclipse. It is an atoll, or ring, of coral formation, inclosing a lagoon of water that has become so salty through evaporation as to be a veritable brine. Fishes thrown over the reef by storms are pickled in it, and remain perfectly preserved and good to eat for months.

These isles of the Pacific belonging to Uncle Sam number sixty in all. They have all been annexed to the United States under an act of Congress, which became a law August 18, 1856. This law, which remains in force to-day, declares that whenever any citizen of the United States shall discover a deposit of guano on any island, rock or key, not within the lawful jurisdiction of any other government, he shall be at liberty to take peaceful possession thereof, and such island, rock or key may, at the discretion of the President, be considered as appertaining to the United States.

The discoverer is required to give due notice to the Department of State, with affidavits, describing the island and showing that possession of the same has been taken in the name of this country. He is obliged at the same time to give a bond, which is filed in the Treasury.

The discoverer, at the pleasure of Congress, enjoys the exclusive right to occupy his island for the purpose of obtaining guano, and for this product he is allowed to charge only a fixed price, namely, \$8 a ton for guano delivered at the ship's side, or \$4 a ton for the privilege of digging it where it lies. Furthermore, he gives guarantee by his bond to deliver the guano only to citizens of the United States and to be used in the United States.

The law also provides, curiously enough, that all offences and crimes on such islands by persons who may land thereon, or in waters adjacent, shall be deemed as committed on the high seas, on board a merchant ship of the United States, and shall be punished accordingly. The President is authorized to use the land and naval forces of the United States to protect the rights of the discoverer or his heirs.

But Uncle Sam's ocean empire includes a great many islands of far greater importance than the guano isles referred to. In the Bering sea there are several very large islands, besides the little Pribilof group to which the fur seals resort.

This country owns the entire chain of Aleutian islands, which separate Bering from the North Pacific. The inhabitants of these islands, called Aleuts, are particularly intelligent, much more civilized than the Eskimos, and bear a close resemblance physically to the Japanese.

Off the coast of southern Alaska is a group of islands of great size, on some of which live the Tlingit Indians. These Indians are the most artful savages in the world, being skillful wood carvers. Off the coast of southern California is the Santa Barbara group, comprising a number of large islands.

**More Wages for Alabama Miners.**

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 9.—General Manager McCormick, of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company, announced to-day that as soon as pig iron scores another advance of twenty-five cents a ton his company will raise the wages of its ten thousand coal miners and laborers about 9 per cent., at the rate of two and a half cents a ton of coal mined, in accordance with its miners' base on price of iron. Other operators in the district employing five thousand men will take like action under the operation of the same scale.

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MAY BE VALUABLE.

**Gas Found at a Depth of Five Feet Near Unontown.**

Morganfield, Sept. 9.—(Special.)—Natural gas and oil were discovered in this county near Unontown yesterday. Several years ago oil was struck in boring for a well. The flow was good, but as it was through salt water nothing could be done with it. Yesterday while prospecting near the old oil well which is located on the Bush coal property, J. C. Hamilton discovered petroleum and natural gas within five feet of the surface. A match was lighted and applied, when the gas and oil ignited and burned steadily. Globules of oil oozed through the black sticky mud. On reaching a depth of five feet the gas burst out with such force and noise that the negro who was doing the digging became frightened and jumped out of the hole. The find is thought to be a valuable one and a company will be organized to develop it.

EXPELLED FROM CHURCH.

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 9.—J. E. Rowe, Commonwealth's Attorney in this judicial district and free silver nominee for re-election, has been expelled from membership in the Third Baptist church on a charge of drunkenness. Rowe is now said to be at a sanitarium in New Albany.

Circuit Judge Owen to-day appointed Chapez Wathen Commonwealth's Attorney pro tem.

**Exciting Brush with a Kentucky Moonshiner.**

(Courier-Journal)

Deputy Collectors John Burton and McD. Ferguson tell a good story of their exciting time in Caloway county early Wednesday morning as reported yesterday. Gen. John T. Kesterson was with the revenue officers, and also a guide. They had information that an illicit distillery was being operated by a man named Bob Green, and they undertook to capture him and destroy the still, which was located on Blood creek, five miles from Pine Bluff, and in an almost inaccessible part of the country. Arriving at the place after a hard trip, the officers called on Green to surrender, but he refused and made his escape to a forest. Being pursued he opened fire, and things were very interesting for a time.

Deputy Burton led the way and the others followed, creeping on their hands and knees to a cabin where Green had taken refuge. They surrounded the cabin at close range. Green was then called upon to come out and surrender. Fearing that he would shoot, instead, the officers had taken the precaution to get behind trees.

Green's answer was a shot. He poked his rifle through the window, and aimed at the tree behind which Deputy Ferguson was sheltered. The latter returned the fire. Green did not again open fire, and things became silent.

The revenue officers waited a minute and called to him again to surrender. For answer he burst open the cabin door, and with a yell of defiance darted through the moonlight and into the woods. At the same instant the officers opened fire. None of the shots took effect. In his native forest Green had every advantage, as he was familiar with the country. He opened fire on the officers as they pursued, and they returned his fire. It was a regular battle in the wilderness on a small scale, and strange to say though the trees were plucked with bullets here and there, and limbs and leaves cut off, neither pursuers nor pursued were injured. Finally when Green had exhausted the ammunition in his repeating rifle he plunged into the underbrush, leaving the officers to follow as best they could. They finally gave up the chase and returned to the still.

Over 1,200 gallons of beer were poured into the creek, and eighty gallons of high wine were destroyed. They then set fire to the still, and watched the flames consume it. The plant destroyed was valuable, the still being made of copper, and of large capacity.

A warrant will be issued for Green. It is thought that he had assistants in operating the still.

**Humane Notes.**  
(Our Dumb Animals.)

On a very hot day, keep a sponge, a towel, or your handkerchief soaked with pure cold water on the top of your horse's head.

Your horse's back is sore use pure cold water on it freely every time the saddle is removed. Try it and your horse will thank you.

In hot weather drive slowly, especially up hill. Be sure your check rein is loose and your horse frequently watered.

Always kill a wounded bird or other animal as soon as you can. All suffering of any creature, just before it dies, poisons the meat.

"Open thy mouth for the dumb." —Prov. 31:8.

It is said that the food wasted in this country and England every day would feed all the starving millions of India.

Is it cruel to keep a horse locked in a stable without exercise?

Answer: Just as cruel as it could be to keep a boy, or girl, or man, or woman, in the same confinement.

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WARMING UP.

**Political Campaign Opening in Various States.**

**Depreciated Silver the Uninspiring Base of Democratic Battle.**

Washington, D. C., Sept. 14.—The political campaigns in the various States are warning up—growing very warm, in fact. Parties arriving here from New York, Nebraska, Kentucky, Iowa, and Ohio report extreme activity and interest in the fight which is to be made in those States. Remarkable as it is that the silver cause should still have any life left in it, it is a fact. It is to make the basis of the battle in every State where there are important elections this fall. One year ago one ounce of silver would buy one bushel of wheat in New York; now it takes two ounces, and silver is still falling and wheat is still rising. It would scarcely seem possible that anybody could successfully argue in favor of currency made from metal whose value has fallen over 25 per cent. in eighteen months. Yet that is a fact as to silver. On March 7th of last year it was worth 70 cents an ounce in New York, now worth 52 cents.

Now it is to win battle with silver as the chief issue in States where they could not win on that issue a year ago, is hard to understand. On last Presidential election day silver was worth 65¢. Today it is worth 51 cents, a fall of over 20 per cent. If the Democrats could not carry Ohio, Kentucky, Maryland, or New York on the silver issue in November, 1896, with their proposed dollar worth 55 cents, how can they expect to win this fall with a dollar worth only 40 cents? Yet they are going into the fight for it everywhere, though there are signs of weakening in spots.

**Republican Prospects in Ohio.**

The Democrats, it seems, from reports received, are trying to run away from their platform made but a short two months since. This action, however, is not to be wondered at in view of the fact that silver has fallen 15 per cent. in value even in that short space of time. July 10 an ounce of silver was worth in the New York market 62 cents and it is now worth but 52 cents and is still going down. Small wonder then that the Democrats are trying to get away from it when, within two months after its adoption, the metal which it advocates as money declines 15 per cent. It goes with out saying, however, that the Republicans of the State will not let their opponents get away from the issue they have made. It also goes without saying that the Republicans will sweep the State now that they have the enemy on the run, providing they are not over confident.

**Situation in New York.**

New York City is the cogn of vantage in State contest. The fight in New York this fall relates to the majority, but it is for a first mayor, the largest city in the United States and second largest city in the world, and will decide whether or not Tammany Hall shall control Greater New York.

If Tammany gets control it will greatly endanger Republican prospects in the State indefinitely.

Those opposed to Tammany and free silver must therefore combine on one good man. By refusing to do so they give Greater New York and probably the State over to the Tammany silver Democrats indefinitely.

**Maryland and the Anti-Gormans.**

There is good reason to hope that the party in Maryland will fall into line, now that the factional fight in Republican ranks is over, and with the aid of the gold Democrats and the anti-Gorman men in the fight for the legislature. Owing to Gorman's free silver leanings and the generally conceded opinion that he would vote for free silver in the Senate, the sound-money Democrats throughout the State are ready to again co-operate with the Republicans, as are also, of course, all the anti-Gorman men, to secure their victory.

The hero of the tale was regarded as one of the brightest men in the Ohio Conference, but he had one besetting sin—exaggeration. The habit had become so fixed and he carried it to such lengths, that it was not only a matter of comment among his parishioners, but among the preachers in that part of the State, and the latter determined to bring the case before the annual conference at its next session.

It was customary when any personal matter affecting the preacher was discussed to request him to retire. When the accused gentleman's turn came he gracfully withdrew, and the complaint concerning his unfortunate habit was considered.

Upon his return the bishop informed his errant brother that the brethren feared he was doing the cause great harm by his abnormal tendency to "draw the longbow" and hoped he would make an effort to overcome the habit. The minister confessed his fault with humility, adding plaintively that he regretted his failing, and that he had a deliberate effort to do them no harm.

The Democratic leaders are not asleep. They are conducting an active and vigilant campaign, and are out on a "still hunt" for votes whose result may surprise the Republican leaders, unless they are wide awake and working to arouse every man and push him enthusiastically into the fight.

The tide is now all running in the right direction, but this very evidence of prospective victory is the right direction, but this very evidence of prospective victory is the right direction, but this very

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